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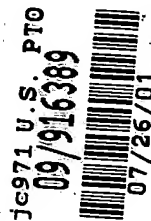
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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	A1	5,894,326	04/13/99	McIntyre, Dale F., et al.			
	A2	5,909,227	06/01/99	Silverbrook, Kia			
	A3	5,978,609	11/02/99	Harumi, Aoki			
	A4	6,058,272	05/02/00	Takahiko, Saito, et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	A5	MacWarehouse Product Information Sheet/Flyer, January 2001
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